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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Communication mailed July 30, 2003,
entry of following remarks and terminal disclaimer submitted
herewith is respectfully requested.

REMARKS

The Communication states that a proper response to the
obviousness-type double patenting rejections set forth in the
Office Action mailed November 5, 2002, is required. In this
regard, claims 1 to 3, 5 and 6 stand rejected under the
judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting
as allegedly unpatentable over claims 1 to 5 of U.S. Patent
No. 5,622,699; claims 1 to 6 stand rejected as allegedly
unpatentable over claims 1 to 21 of U.S. Patent No. 6,068,829;
claims 1 to 6 stand rejected as allegedly unpatentable over
claims 1 to 10 of U.S. Patent No. 6,296,832; and claims 1 to 6